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- 1.6. (Canceled)
- (Currently Amended) Mixing A mixing appliance pertaining to a chemical or biochemical analyses comprising comprising:

a frame at least one pipette having a body, a free end and a head fixed to a head DO NOT ENTER: /B.G./ supporting block, block; and

driving means designed to cause oscillation of the free end of the pipette, the driving means comprising including an actuating unit securedly fixed to a framethe frame and associated with a guiding block located between the free end and the head of the proetts and operating in conjunction with the body of the pipette, appliance

wherein the head supporting block is mounted in such a way as to rotate freely in the frame around an exis perpendicular to the plane in which the pipette oscillates.

- (Currently Amended) Appliance The mixing appliance according to claim 7, Ŕ wherein the guiding block comprises a connecting block, securedly fixed to the axisan axis of the actuating unit, and an eccentric block, securedly fixed to the connecting block, in contact with the body of the pipette and mounted such as to rotate freely around its savie-an axis of the eccentric block.
- (Currently Amended) ApplianceThe mixing appliance according to claim 8, Q. wherein the body of the pipette passes through the eccentric block.
- (Currently Amended) Appliame The mixing appliance according to claim 8, wherein the axis of the eccentric block presents an offset of about 0.1 mm with respect to the axis of the actuating unit.
- (Currently Amended) Appliance The mixing appliance according to claim 7, wherein the actuating unit is a DC motor.
- (Currently Amended) Appliance The mixing appliance according to claim 11, comprising means for regulating the speed, acceleration or operating time of the motor.